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## TERRIBLE BLIZZARD

Record Breaking November Storm Visits Greater Part of New England.

## COMMUNICATION CRIPPLED

Philadelphia and New York Also Feel the Effects of the Blow—Heavy Snowfall Accompanies the Gale—Fears of Great Damage to Shipping—Railroads Snowbound.

Boston, Nov. 28.—A record breaking November blizzard swept over the greater portion of New England Saturday night and yesterday completely demoralizing traffic of every description, and well nigh paralyzing telegraphic and telephonic communication, while the northeast gale, coming on a high course of tides, drove the sea far beyond its usual limits and made a mark along the coast which will not be forgotten for many years.

While the storm was heaviest in the southeastern part of New England, the whole district was affected, and experienced a snowfall of from 8 to 24 inches.

Fortunately the storm was heralded sufficiently in advance by the weather bureau to detain most of the coastwise shipping in safe harbors, but the warning was entirely unheeded and ignored by those on shore, with the result that nearly every one, especially the railroads and electric companies, were caught napping and suffered accordingly.

There was not a railroad in New England that was not more or less tied up by the heavy fall of snow and the great drifts, and the roads running along the coast, like the New York, New Hampshire and Hartford, and the Boston and Maine, had the added difficulty of frequent washouts in places exposed to the heavy seas.

Trains north, east, south and west were nearly all stalled early Saturday night, although one train from Bangor reached Lynn yesterday noon, and two Chicago trains came into the city last evening. In cities and towns dependent upon electric cars service was even worse, for the damp snow packed hard on the rails and held up even the heavy snow plows.

The storm, while not so severe and far reaching in its effects as the fearful blizzard of last February, was nevertheless the heaviest experienced in November in this part of the country for a long series of years. Coming on Sunday, it did not cause the annoyance or inconvenience it would have done on a week day and most of the transportation companies made a heroic effort to at least partially recover from the effects of the blockade.

Only the barest reports have been received of the effects of the storm on the coast, but even those few lines gave rise to the gravest fears as to the safety of what little shipping that may have been off Cape Cod. It will probably be two or three days before a complete list of the disasters can be made.

Thirty barges and schooners lying in the harbor were wrecked and sunk and at least 12 lives were lost. The Wilson liner Ohio is ashore on Spectacle island in the bay.

## NEW YORK

Wind Blew Sixty Miles an Hour. Heavy Snow Fall.

New York, Nov. 28.—When the people of New York awoke yesterday they found the blizzard that raged when they retired was still in progress. The storm, which began with a soft, sleet snow on Saturday afternoon, increased greatly as the day wore on, with heavier snow fall, the wind blowing a gale at

midnight. There was a slight abatement of the wind yesterday, but the snow still fell and drifted high and the temperature dropped rapidly. It looked as though the blizzard would continue all day but finally there was a break away in the west and the storm ceased altogether, and the severest storm since the memorable one of March, 1888, came to an end. The wind blew at the rate of 50 to 60 miles an hour during the height of the storm.

Snow fell throughout New York state. The fall in New York city, the weather bureau reports, was about 10 inches, Philadelphia, nine inches, Boston, six inches, Portland, Me., four inches, Albany, a little over an inch.

In the greatest artery of business activity of the country there was drifts on the sidewalks, through which the wayfarer plodded, and in many instances across them and in many instances filled up the trenches that had been dug by the street railroads for the transforming of the motive power from cable to electricity. All trains from Boston and other points were late and some of them had not even been heard from this morning.

The terrific blow did much damage to the small shipping in New York harbor. It is reported that several tugboats belonging to the Kingston Towing company, together with a large number of canalboats, were sunk up the river by the force of the gale. The shores of the Hudson are littered with wreckage.

An order was sent out to the police Saturday to arrest all persons found alone in a condition that would raise a suspicion of intoxication, and as a result the crowd at police court yesterday was eminently respectable in appearance. Notwithstanding this precaution no less than a dozen persons were frozen to death or else so badly frosted that they will die.

The storm played havoc with the telegraph wires along the coast of New Jersey. The Western Union and other wires in Long Island are nearly all down, and beyond Jamaica there is practically no connection. It will be impossible to give extent of damage for 48 hours.

## UNPRECEDENTED.

Storm Was the Worst at Philadelphia Since 1888.

Philadelphia, Nov. 28.—The blizzard which came out of the west reached this city Saturday and raged furiously yesterday. As unexpected as it was violent it wrought great havoc not only here, but throughout the entire state. The snowfall reached a depth of over nine inches and the wind a velocity of 45 miles an hour. These figures are unprecedented in the November record and was the worst since the memorable blizzard of 1888.

In this city traffic of every kind, as well as wire communication, was crippled. The suburban lines were brought to a complete standstill, with the roads piled high with drifted snow. The country milk trains failed to get into town; no Atlantic City trains got away from the city, and the main line of the Pennsylvania railroad was greatly delayed.

Dispatches from over the state say it was the worst storm in years, telegraphic and telephonic communications being greatly hampered.

The schooner, William M. Wilson, from Philadelphia for Norfolk with a cargo of coal, sprung a leak four miles south of Metekmin lifesaving station. Her signals were promptly answered and the guards took off her crew of six men. The schooner is likely to sink, and a half off shore off the cape were unable to get into the harbor, and it is feared that there has been heavy losses.

## Destruction at Nantasket.

Hull, Mass., Nov. 28.—With the exception of the Nantasket chutes and the main building of the Hotel Nantasket, there is not a structure left standing in Nantasket Beach between Atlantic hill and the Ocean View House. Hotels, dancehalls, bathhouses and other structures succumbed to the high wind and tidal wave of the storm. The property, exclusive of the Hotel Nantasket, was probably worth \$100,000.

## Severest in Ten Years.

Atlantic City, Nov. 28.—The severest wind and snow storm in 10 years raged along this coast Saturday and yesterday. Telephone communication between the lifesaving stations has been broken off, making it impossible for the Maritime exchange in this city to ascertain whether there has been any marine disaster or not.

Engine Plunged Over Embankment. South Berwick, Me., Nov. 28.—Harley Bates and Fred Hallway of Portland, engineer and fireman of a Boston and Maine locomotive driving a snowplow, were killed yesterday by the engine plunging over an embankment.

## Snow Two Feet on the Level.

Hartford, Conn., Nov. 28.—The storm in this city was the heaviest known since the blizzard of 1888. The snow is about two feet on a level and is drifted badly.

## PRAIRIE FIRES

Immense Loss of Property in Oklahoma—Several Lives Lost.

Perry, O., Nov. 28.—Prairie fires have raged havoc in Oklahoma and the Indian Territory for the last few days. One farmer lost 1,000 acres of fine hay in the field, several hundred bales of cotton and 500 head of cattle and hogs. He estimates his loss at \$20,000. Millions of tons of hay in bales and bulk have been burned in other sections and no less than 100 residences have been destroyed.

In the Kiowa Indian reservation a strip of land 30 by 75 miles was burned, causing much damage. Prairies Over Forest.

London, Nov. 28.—The Times in an

## BRONCHITIS

Bronchitis is very prevalent. It generally begins with a common cold, attended with cough, hoarseness, soreness of the lungs, tightness of the chest and difficulty in breathing. If not cured, it becomes dangerous—thousands die from bronchitis annually. Dr. John W. Bull's Cough Syrup is the best remedy for this disease; it relieves the cough at once, cures expectoration, and cures in a few days.

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editorial this morning, in praise of the foresight of the United States government in increasing the army, says: "Looking to immediate needs, Mr. Alger's estimate of 100,000 is below rather than above the mark, for considerable forces will be required to bring the new populations into subjection."

## College Hall Collapses.

Rome, Nov. 28.—At the opening of a new college at Peres, Argentina, near Turin, the great hall collapsed, carrying down the assembly in the ruins. Three bishops were injured, one of whom has since died. It is feared that many persons have been killed or seriously hurt.

## Big Coal Contract.

Pittsburg, Nov. 28.—The Great Northern railway, it is said, has placed contract with West Virginia coal operators for 500,000 tons of coal at \$1.25 delivered at Sandusky, the delivery to extend throughout 1899. Pittsburg operators view the report with alarm.

## WIRE SIFTINGS.

A Simla dispatch says the Mad Mullah has crossed the Swat river and engaged the British.

An Antwerp dispatch says Major Ferdinand Walsin Esterhazy has sailed for the United States.

Charles W. Coultick, the oldest actor on the American stage, is dead at his New York home of dropsy.

Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott has announced his intention to resign the pastorate of Plymouth church, Brooklyn.

The report that British admiral has hoisted the union jack over Tung-Hai, China, is not credited at Shanghai.

Three negroes were lynched at Meridian, Miss., for wounding a white man whom one of the negroes accused of stealing his bag.

A receiver has been appointed for the Chelsea Paper company of Norwich, Conn. Liabilities, \$75,000; nominal assets, \$275,000.

Marlene Bianchini has been arrested in Paris charged with poisoning her husband, Charles Bianchini, the famous and popular scenic artist.

## FULLY MURDERED

Aged Wealthy Lady Found With Her Throat Cut.

Brooklyn, Ills., Nov. 28.—"Grandma" Wynn, the richest resident of this place, was found in her doorway on Saturday fully murdered, her throat being cut.

The house had been ransacked. Mrs. Wynn, who frequently had considerable money in the house, lived entirely alone. She was a kindly old lady with many virtues. Her only failing was a desire to live by herself. She managed her own estate personally and collected her rents, banked her money and invested her savings without consulting any one.

Mrs. Wynn was estimated to be worth from \$90,000 to \$100,000. The murderer or murderers left no clew. It is not known how much money they obtained, but the amount must have been considerable.

## BASEBALL

President Johnson Endeavoring to Get Buffalo in the Western League.

Buffalo, Nov. 28.—President Johnson of the Western baseball league, accompanied by President Killilea, of the Milwaukee club, yesterday held a conference with President Franklin of the Buffalo club of the Eastern league, and tendered to the latter the franchise and players of the St. Joseph club of the Western league. While nothing official has been given out regarding the conference it is understood that Mr. Franklin accepted the offer and will join the Western league next season.

Freight Train Goes Through a Bridge.

Ronoke, Va., Nov. 28.—A freight train on the Norfolk and Western railway, 57 miles north of Ronoke yesterday, firedman Joseph Stevens was instantly killed, brakeman David Winger fatally injured and Engineer Stephen Mayor seriously scalded by escaping steam. The men lived in Ronoke. The train was loaded with livestock and some of the cars were demolished, killing a considerable number of the cattle.

Straus Outdoes the United Powers.

Constantinople, Nov. 28.—The energetic action of Oscar S. Straus, the United States minister, has obtained a concession which the united powers had been for 18 months vainly endeavoring to secure, namely, the granting of traveling permits to foreigners in the interior of Asia Minor. The immediate incentive to the action of Mr. Straus was the porters refusal of permits to American missionaries.

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Instruction Agreed Upon by the Spanish Cabinet as to the Treaty.

## LETTER FROM DR. AMADEO DECISION OF THE CABINET

By Reason of Excessive Duties Spaniards Always Kept the Laboring Class From Obtaining Proper Nourishment—Meat Is a Luxury Which Few Inhabitants Can Indulge In.

San Juan de Porto Rico, Nov. 28.—Dr. Amadeo, a Porto Rican, who has passed much of his life in the United States, recently made a study of the foods of the poorer classes of his countrymen and has embodied some of the results of his labors in an open letter to Major General Brooke. His statements have the ring of fact and they are interesting in that they give an idea of what the island laborer is and of what can fairly be expected of him as a citizen of the United States. In the course of his letter, Dr. Amadeo says: "Five years ago, upon my return from the United States, I began to make certain comparisons between the poor of Porto Rico and the poorer classes among the Americans. I noted a physical inferiority among the Porto Ricans. The blame for this should be laid at Spain's doors, for she, by reason of excessive duties on the necessities of life, always prevented the poor man here from obtaining proper nourishment."

"The science of nourishment shows us that a man, in order to maintain his health, should consume daily about 124 grammes of nitrogenized matter, 424 grammes of matter containing starch and 55 grammes containing grease. Hence, the indispensability of meat. But the laborer of Porto Rico lives on carbonates of hydrogen alone. Meat is a luxury he very rarely tastes."

"This largely explains the condition of the laboring classes in Porto Rico—the muscular system wasting away from defective nourishment and the brain inactive and dull because deprived of phosphates. Moreover, exclusive nourishment of this kind engenders severe organic troubles in the end. A dangerous and common disease of the liver is the direct result among our people of a diet of tubers and bananas."

"We cannot expect from men on such diet that degree of intelligence and activity which would be found in men properly nurtured. I am a country physician and when my patients come to me for relief from their many infirmities I am obliged to say to them: 'You do not need drugs and medicines, but you do need meat and fish and nourishing foods.' These are very important facts to us and we sincerely hope, as a source of possible relief that General Brooke will do all in his power to secure the admission into this island, free from all custom duties of salted fish and meats from the United States, and of rice and flour."

"To the man who works for 50 cents (silver) a day we should try to give a market in which his 50 cents will buy him proper nourishment. I believe the regeneration of this island should begin by restoring the health of its people. Surely it would be a pity if the inhabitants of a part of the rich American union should be without proper nourishment. Such a state of affairs was comprehensive under the Spanish regime, but it would be hard indeed to understand under the control of a government whose first principle is to care for its people, as in Porto Rico care for the people resolves itself now into their proper nourishment."

"A majority of the Porto Ricans are of European extraction. They cannot support life in roofless huts and in the open woods as can the black races of Africa. We should make it possible for them to obtain shelter and homes at least as good as those of their forefathers. This could be done by permitting the entrance, free from all restrictions and duties of the component parts of simple houses, such as boards, joists, iron roofing and nails."

"I consider these recommendations, which I venture to submit, to be of prime necessity for the good of the people. Humanity demands their adoption. The poorer classes in Porto Rico can not be expected to appreciate their obligations to the United States, much less to fulfill the duties of American citizens, because their enfeebled mental and physical condition, the direct result of mal-nutrition, makes this impossible to them."

"We shall proceed with the work of social reconstruction of this island, but in order to have healthy minds to work upon we must first secure healthy bodies. But we cannot look for healthy bodies in a country where excessive tariffs would continue to prevent the poorer classes from eating meat and bread and to compel them to resort for sustenance to roots and bananas."

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Approved in Political Circles—If Permitted by American Commissioners Spaniards Will File a Protest to the Former's Interpretation of the Protocol—Will Ask a Vote of Confidence.

Madrid, Nov. 28.—The cabinet has agreed upon the instructions to Senor Montero Rios, president of the Spanish peace commission, for today's joint session at Paris, at which the treaty will be signed.

El Imparcial exhorts the government to refuse with dignity the indemnity America offers and to protest against America's appeal to force with respect to the Philippines.

The Madrid correspondent of the London Standard telegraphs his paper: "The cabinet has concluded that the wisest policy is to accept the American terms, leaving to the Spanish commissioners full power to secure the best possible indemnity and to place on record, if the American commissioners will permit, a protest against the American interpretation of the protocol as affecting the Philippines and against the peace conditions generally."

"The decision of the cabinet is approved in political and financial circles. I understand, however, that the deliberations of the ministers were very protracted. Senor Sagasta, Duke Almodovar de Rio and Senor Puigcerver had great difficulty in inducing some of their colleagues to accept the small indemnity. Undoubtedly the situation is hard and critical, but ministers say Senor Sagasta is determined to confront all opposition until the cortes is convened, probably at the end of December, when he will demand a vote of confidence, virtually implying approval of the treaty and the assurance of his party."

## ASSURANCES FROM DAY.

President Receives a Telegram Stating the Spaniards Will Accept Terms.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Throughout the peace negotiations, which are still pending in Paris, the president has expressed confidence that a treaty, satisfactory to the United States would be drafted and signed. From time to time assurances of substantial progress toward that end have been received from the American commissioners.

Last evening advice was received by the president from Mr. Day, president of the American commission, reiterating the assurances he had previously given the president of the early and successful conclusion of the work of the committee. Judge Day, it is understood, states positively that the Spanish commissioners formally will accept, perhaps today, the terms of the United States and that a treaty along the lines of the agreement reached will be drawn and signed in a few days.

## REINA MERCEDES

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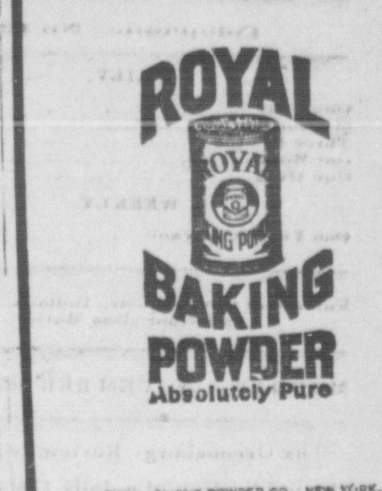
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## INDICTED FOR MURDER

True Bill Returned Against Eleven-Year-Old Fred Oland.

Muncie, Ind., Nov. 28.—The grand jury has been investigating the evidence against Freddie Oland, aged 11, charged with shooting 5-year-old Andy Bodemiller two weeks ago. After finding the child's body tramped in a small box in a gravelpit, Oland was suspected and made a confession, afterward denying the story. There were 66 witnesses examined and an indictment, charging the boy with the crime has been returned.

Hopkins University Building Burned.

Kokomo, Ind., Nov. 28.—The Milton E. Hopkins university building burned yesterday. Loss, \$45,000; insurance, \$11,000. It was a 3-story brick building erected 45 years ago.

## Weather.

Indiana—Warmer with rain in southern and rain or snow in northern portions.

## AN OHIO MILLIONAIRE

Bequeaths Hundreds of Thousands of Dollars to Public Institutions.

Springfield, O., Nov. 28.—The will of the late P. P. Mast, the millionaire who died last week, has been made public. Bequests aggregating \$447,500 are made to public institutions. The principle ones are: Five hundred shares of the capital stock of P. P. Mast & Co., and Mast, Foss & Co., to the Ohio Wesleyan University for a library building on the university grounds at an estimated cost of \$100,000; 150 shares, par value \$100, to the trustees of Delaware University for the purpose of endowing a professorship in that university; 300 shares to the trustees of the Ohio Wesleyan University as a trust fund to be designated as a student's loan fund for the purpose of assisting in educating young men for the ministry in the M. E. church; 300 shares of a par value of \$100, the income therefrom to be used for aiding and supporting superannuated preachers; 75 shares to Grace M. E. church, this city, to erect a \$20,000 church in the western part of the city, outside the value of the lot, The Mast House, valued at \$200,000, with four acres of ground, is given to the Wesleyan University. The residue of all the estate, valued at \$1,000,000, is divided equally among the three daughters—Mrs. Frank B. Loomis, wife of the American minister to Venezuela; Mrs. Charles Rodgers of this city and Mrs. Harry Frey of Omaha.

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The Greensburg Review will begin the publication of a daily tomorrow.

The senatorial candidates are pushing their acquaintance among the legislative brethren but they are doing it legitimately. The contest, however, will evidently be one of great interest and activity.

Many of the barbers of the state are urging organization to secure legislation that will put all barbers in Indiana under state supervision. The state board of health has also made some recommendations looking towards that end.

All over the state the people are giving expressions relative to the movement towards reform in the management of county and township business. The need of better laws regulating this business is everywhere recognized, therefore the movement in that direction now is approved. The comments made by such men as Governor Mount, Judge Hackney and others must have weight and influence with the men composing the Indiana legislature.

So far as yet seen the renewed argument of the members of the state board of education in behalf of the constitution of the board as it now is, develops nothing new. It will be hard to convince the people of the state that the present ex-officio membership of the board is altogether right. It does not represent the educational interests of the state as it should, but a broader representation is what the board itself is opposed to, as is evident by the recent statement of Mr. Geeting, ex-officio president of the board.

## Horse Found.

John M. Brown's horse that was stolen here June 19 was recovered by Mr. Brown at Freedom over in Owen county, last Friday. Mr. Brown came home Saturday night. The animal was brought home last night by George Storey.

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## Judge Aspaugh on the Bench.

Hon. D. M. Aspaugh has been sworn in as judge of the 42nd judicial circuit and began his duties as such officer at Brownstown today. As considerable time has been lost during this term, the court will be kept rather busy during the remainder of the term.

## An Enterprising Druggist.

There are few men more wide awake and enterprising than W. F. Peters who spare no pains to secure the best of everything in their line for their many customers. They now have the valuable agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Cough and Cold. This is the wonderful remedy that is producing such a furor all over the country by its many startling cures. It absolutely cures Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all affections of the Throat, Chest and Lungs. Call at the above drug store and get a trial bottle free or a regular size for 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

E. W. Shepard left today for the west on a three week's business trip and his wife went to Honeytown to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Charles W. Murphy and family.

A elegant reception was given Louis Pardieck and wife last night at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mischke, corner of Walnut and Jackson streets. The supper was a royal affair and pleasant throughout.

## THE ROSES OF SEATTLE.

O roses of Seattle,  
That bloom in June and May,  
You are perfect as the poet's dream,  
Fair as the golden day;  
You scatter waves of fragrance  
On the sleeping air of night;  
Your rainbow painted petals  
Are the glory of the light!

Fair is Nile's storied lotus  
And the rose of Gulistan,  
And pleasant is the poppy seed  
That lulls the soul of man,  
Rare are the lights and shadows  
In the pansy's purple eyes,  
But the roses of Seattle  
Are the flowers of paradise.

O roses of Seattle,  
That bloom in May and June,  
Deep hearts of gold and crimson  
That light the summer noon,  
The cottage of the lowly  
You paint with God's own plan;  
In the mansion of the lordly  
You shame the art of man!

I hold them fast in memory  
Wherever I may roam,  
These blossoms from the garden  
Of the gods, dropped down from home.  
The cruel years take from us  
What years cannot restore,  
But the roses of Seattle—  
They bloom forevermore!

—Eliza Archard Conner in Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

## A STRANGE SENTENCE.

Punishment For a Murder That Was More Cruel Than Death.

In 1801 a man died in the Catskills who had been condemned by one of the strangest sentences on record. Ralph Sutherland was born in 1701 and lived in a stone house near Leeds. He was a man of violent temper and morose disposition, shunned by his neighbors and generally disliked. Not being able to get an American servant, he imported a Scotchwoman, and, according to the usage of the times, virtually held her in bondage until her passage money had been refunded.

Unable to endure any longer the raging temper of her master, the girl ran away. Immediately upon discovering her absence the man set off in an angry chase upon his horse and soon overtook her. The poor woman never reached the house alive, and Sutherland was indicted and arrested on the charge of murder.

At the trial he tried to prove that his horse had taken fright, run away, pitched him out of the saddle and dashed the girl to death upon the rocks, but the jury did not accept the defense, and Sutherland was sentenced to die upon the scaffold.

Then came the plea of the insufficiency of circumstantial evidence and the efforts of influential relations. These so worked upon the court that the judge delayed the sentence of death until the prisoner should be 99 years old.

It was ordered that the culprit should be released on his own recognizance, and that, pending the final execution of his sentence, he should keep a hangman's noose about his neck and show himself before the judges of Catskill once a year to prove that he wore his badge of infamy and kept his crime in mind. It was a more cruel decision than the sentence of immediate death would have been, but it was no doubt in harmony with the spirit of the times.

Thus Ralph Sutherland lived. He always lived alone. He seldom spoke. His rough, imperious manner had gone. Years followed years. At each session of the court the broken man came before the bar of justice and silently showed the noose that circled his neck.

At last his ninety-ninth year came, the time when the court had ordered that the utmost penalty of the law should be executed. For the last time the man tottered before the judge's bench, but new judges had arisen in the land, new laws had been made, old crimes had been forgotten or forgiven, and there was none who would accuse him or execute sentence. Indeed the awful restriction that had bound his life so intimately to the expiration of his crime was now legally removed.

But the spirit of self punishment continued, and when Sutherland, after he had passed his hundredth year, was discovered dead, alone in his house, his throat was found to be encircled by the rope which had been placed there nearly three-quarters of a century before.—Youth's Companion.

## A Great Fine.

Lady of the House (to servant girl applying for a situation)—You were in the service of my friend, Baroness K. Why were you sent away?

Servant—Please, ma'am, for listening at the doors.

Lady—Ah, then I tell you, only you must promise to take me all you heard.—London Fun.

## The "Gallery Gods."

The frequenters of the lofty gallery of any theater have a good deal to do with the making or marring of any new play. Yet that is not how they acquire their title of "gods." As a matter of fact, the origin of the expression is this: Years ago Drury Lane theater had its ceiling painted to resemble a blue sky with clouds among which white Cupids were flying in every direction. This ceiling extended over the gallery, whose occupants thus appeared to be very near heaven. Hence the expression arose of "gallery gods."—London Answers.

## Presbyterian Church.

Two large audiences heard Rev. G. L. McNutt yesterday. In the evening his subject was "The Law of Redemption," illustrated with a series of magnificent pictures. Services tonight at 7:30. These services are free to the public and everyone is most cordially invited to come.

## How to Look Good.

Good looks are really more than skin deep, depending on a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver is inactive, you have a bilious look; if your stomach is disordered, you have a dyspeptic look; if your kidneys are disordered, you have a pinched look. Secure good health and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good Alternative and Tonic. Acts directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys, purifies the blood, cures pimples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at W. F. Peters' Drug Store. 50 cents per bottle.

## SOME CLOSE CALLS.

INSTANCES OF NARROW ESCAPES TOLD BY RAILWAY MEN.

A Locomotive's Remarkable Jump—The Sleeping Car Passenger on a Rough Road—Trains That Left the Track and Returned Running at Full Speed.

There is no question that well authenticated cases are on record where disastrous wrecks of railroad trains have been averted by almost seeming miracles. James E. White, general superintendent of the railway mail service at Washington, relates the particulars of a remarkable jump of 28 feet made by a locomotive. As Mr. White tells the story, it was on the 1st of September, 1892, when a New York and Chicago mail train on the New York Central, which was behind time and running at a very high rate of speed, reached New Hamburg, where a 28 foot draw of a bridge was open, which open space it is claimed the engine cleared and landed safely on the main portion of the bridge, the rest of the train going down through the opening. While the engine, it is said, made the leap of 28 feet in safety, the engineer and fireman, not having time to jump, were both killed. John H. Cain, a postal clerk, was killed, and M. E. Towney, clerk in charge, was seriously injured, the other postal clerks escaping unhurt.

While none of the local railroad men know of any locomotives that are as good jumpers as White's or that do the bounding jockey act, some of them know of miraculous and hairbreadth escapes. Carlton Paris of the old Ohio and Mississippi for many years and more recently with the B. and O. S. W. tells that he and Ed Swift a number of years ago were riding on a train over the Ohio and Big Sandy road when an accident was narrowly averted. But let Paris tell the story:

"The road was about the roughest at that time I had ever ridden over. There were only a few passengers on the train. Swift and I were in the forward coach talking to the conductor when the solitary sleeping car passenger came staggering in and said: 'Mr. Conductor, your road is so rough I can't sleep in my berth. I have been pitched out of my berth twice in the last quarter of an hour. There must be something the matter.'

"The conductor picked up his lantern and said, 'Come on, and I'll go back with you and see what's wrong.' Swift and I sat where we were talking, and very soon we saw that the bellcord was being very violently pulled and the engineer was whistling for brakes. The train finally came to a standstill, and Swift and I kept our seats and kept on talking. As, after five minutes or more, there were no signs of the train going ahead, we concluded to go back and see what was the cause of the delay.

"The conductor and trainmen were grouped about the sleeper with their lanterns, and we soon found out that the sleeper had left the track and had been running over the ties for how far we never knew. The night was pitch dark and it was raining very hard. It took the men at least three hours to get the sleeper on the rails again. The wheels were very near the end of the ties, and had the train gone 100 yards farther the sleeper would have been off the ties and over a high embankment."

Frank Martin of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas said:

"I remember of a disastrous wreck being almost miraculously averted on the Memphis and Little Rock road along about 1883. A passenger train was traveling at a high rate of speed when the engine threw a piece of rail about three feet long out of the track. This piece of rail was thrown at least 25 feet from the track. Strange as it seems, the tender, baggage car, coaches and sleepers went over this place where the rail was out and gained the rail again without one of the cars leaving the track except when the wheels went down on to the ties at one end of the broken rail, only to mount the rail again at the other end of the track. About all the inconvenience the passengers experienced was a slight shaking."

Assistant General Passenger Agent Ryan said:

"I remember two instances when the lives of engineers and firemen were saved by a seeming intervention of Providence. A number of years ago a new trestle was being put in, and false works had been erected to permit of the temporary passage of trains. The workmen had failed to put in some necessary bolts. The first train that came along struck the false work it gave way, and down went the engine. The fall was one of 50 feet, and in falling the engine made a complete revolution and alighted on the ground upon its wheels right side up, and the engineer and fireman both escaped injury, although they were probably pretty badly jarred by the fall.

"The other case I know of is that of a train running at a good speed when the engine ran into a large rock that had fallen on the track just at the mouth of a tunnel. The impact caused the tender to bend up from the rear end and form a protecting hood over the engineer and fireman in the locomotive cab, and they were uninjured. Had this not occurred, they would either have been badly injured or had their lives crushed out."

Another passenger man said yesterday: "When I was a sleeping car conductor on the old Bee line, about 30 years ago, the train was late, and we were going along at a pretty lively gait. We were within about five miles of Indianapolis when the engine and four cars jumped the track, and we thought there would be a smash up, but before the train could be stopped every wheel was again on the rails without the least damage being done to any part of the train or any of the passengers, barring the fright we all had."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## Lung Irritation

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## RIDING ON A DOOR.

The Steed Which a Cyclone Furnished an Impromptu Traveler.

Christian Van den Harver, familiarly known in Celina, O., as Cyclone Johnny, is perhaps the only man living that enjoys the unique distinction of having ridden a cyclone astride a house door for a distance of over a quarter of a mile. This remarkable feat was performed not as a matter of choice, but perforce of necessity by the above named person when the cyclone swept across Celina in May, 1886.

Cyclone Johnny's description of the cyclone is graphic and thrilling. He was living at the time eight miles west of Celina, and on the night of the cyclone he and Mr. Bryan's family were watching the raging of the storm in the west. The electric display was wonderful, and to him it seemed as though the world was about to come to an end by fire. The flashes were so brilliant that the eyes could not withstand them. The family became alarmed and decided to go to the cellar for safety. The cellar was directly underneath the porch, on the west side of the house, and Harver assisted in getting the children to this place of safety, and he was the last one to leave the house. Just as he stepped upon the porch and before he released his hold upon the doorknob the storm swept down upon him in all its fury. He went sailing through the air, over the tops of trees, the uppermost branches of which tore his clothes from his body. The gait he traveled was terrific, and it seemed but a second from the time he started until he found himself safely dropped into a large field uninjured, save for the scratches inflicted upon him as he sailed over the top of the trees. This field was a little over a quarter of a mile from Mr. Bryan's house, and Harver wandered around in the darkness and driving rain until he met a searching party, among whom was Mr. Bryan, who, together with his entire family, were saved by their opportune flight to the cellar.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## TWO BLONDS.

One of Them Was Impolite, but the Other One Got Even.

A sallow little blond entered an electric car and sat down effusively by a very handsome blond with brown eyes.

"Oh, Harriet! I am so glad to see you! I've had some engagements lately that I see nothing of you. How have you been?"

"Much as usual," answered the brown eyed blond.

"Are you going to the ——'s little Lenten dance?"

"No."

"You aren't! Why, everybody is going."

"It will be a very populous dance."

"But why aren't you going?"

"A shade of annoyance passed over the brown eyed blond's face, but she answered simply, 'Because I'm not invited.'

"Oh, that's too bad! I'm so sorry you were left out. And they seemed to have gone into the highways and hedges, too, from what I can hear. I'm going to wear violet silk."

"I think you might wear violet silk," said the brown eyed blond gently but distinctly, turning a searching gaze upon her companion's complexion, "if you put on plenty of powder. You are determined to wear violet silk?"

"I thought—I think"—stammered the other woman, reddening through her selflessness.

"Then be sure to remember my advice and put on plenty of powder—yes, I think in that case you might venture to wear violet silk."

The sallow blond did not say another word, but sat over ostentatiously and gave a newcomer a seat. Perhaps she had not meant to be rude with her sorrow and her highways and hedges. But people were smiling around her, secretly glad, as we cannot help being, of witnessing the neat pat with which a skilled fencer drops a roistering and bullying antagonist.—Chicago Post.

## Why Princeton Appealed to the Cleveland.

"Shortly after the removal of the Cleveland family to Princeton an unmarried lady, a close friend of Mrs. Cleveland, was visiting her," writes a close friend of the former mistress of the White House in The Ladies' Home Journal. "One day while the two women were in the nursery with the three little Cleveland girls, the friend said jokingly to Mrs. Cleveland:

"Mercy me, Frances, how are you ever going to get all your daughters married off? You see from me that mamma could not do it in New York."

"Exactly," replied Mrs. Cleveland. "But what better place could there be than a college town like Princeton, I should like to know?"

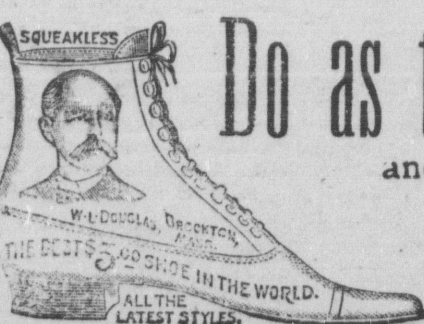
## Ambitious.

A well known and popular singing teacher recently received the following letter:

"Will you be good enough to let me know your charge for voice production? I have no singing voice, but I would be willing to pay you well if you can produce one for me, because singers earn a good deal more than I can make in the tripe trade here."—London Answers.

## Coughed 25 Years.

I suffered for 25 years with a cough, and spent hundreds of dollars with doctors and for medicine to no avail until I used Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. This remedy makes weak lungs strong. It has saved my life.—J. B. Russell, Grantsburg, Ill.



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## OLD TIME MELODIES.

SONGS THE DARKIES USED TO SING IN THE OLD SLAVE DAYS.

Negroes of the Present Day Cut Them Into Scrappy Discords—"Massa Will" Visits Old Moe, and Together They Recall the Happy Old Times.

The old time plantation songs of the slavery days have about passed away, and the negroes now cut the original melodies into scrappy discords and minor notes. A negro had rather strike a minor note than to rub the waistband of his pants against a well filled table and eat. It seems that the peculiar tone holds a fascination for him which cannot be overcome. There is always something to interest you when you can hear a genuine old time plantation song as sung by the aged slave negroes, when heart and soul are united in the song.

I have spent many a pleasant hour listening to the quaint songs of an old gray headed negro on my grandfather's farm as he would rasp the screeching chords in accompaniment on his banjo. When he would sing, he would get a humming start with the chords, and begin with a long drawn out note, rear way back, pat his feet and shake his old gray head. He enjoyed singing, and I enjoyed listening. I would take him little pieces of colored paper and all the colored glass I could find to get him to sing for me and to repeat the far famed verse of alliteration, "Did you ever see a possum in a papaw patch a-pickin' up papaws and a-puttin' 'em in his pocket to make a papaw pie for his papa?" This is the joy of his life, and it never grew old or tiresome to him to repeat it.

Mose was his name, and not long since I concluded to pay him a visit and to hear again the songs I had so enjoyed when a child. I found his cabin and he was at home, being unable to get about much. I shook hands with the honest old negro and sat down. The light which came into his face showed how welcome I was, and we had a long talk.

Finally I asked him to take the dusty banjo from the wall and give me a few strains of "Nigger Foot In Ashes" at a lively clip. He did as I asked, and the old time vigor came upon him again. After playing awhile I asked him to sing me the corn shucking song the "niggers" used to sing while they danced the "rabbit dance," after the corn was all husked and the white folks had gone to bed. He was in fine spirits, and, with his head way back on his chair and his feet extended to keep time with the banjo, he sang:

"Early one mornin on my massa's farm—  
Cut dat pigeon wing, Lizzy Jane!—  
I heard dem chickens a-givin de alarm.  
Shake yo' feet, Miss Lizzy Jane!  
Shake yo' feet, niggers; it'll soon be day.  
Shoot along lively, Miss Lizzy Jane!  
Massa betch us dancin, dere'll be— to pay!  
We got to dig taters and hoe dat corn.  
Hit dat dubble shuffle, Lizzy Jane!  
You'd better be a-humpin, coz it soon be morn.  
Shake dat balmorel, Lizzy Jane!"

After Mose finished singing this song an eight inch grin played across his face from ear to ear, his eyes sparkled and the old negro was happy again as if the young folks had gone through their dancing while he sang. He said, "Massa Will, de best days ob de old nigger's life am done gone, but when I think ob de good old times we had befo' de wah dese bones ob mine gits young, and I want to get right up and hit de jig step ag'in like I use to do."

I told him I was something of a dancer myself, and that if he would cut down lively on the old "barnyard cackle" I would show him a few steps in jig dancing. This tickled the wrinkled faced coon, and he sang and played in earnest:

"Eoster in de chicken coop crowin fo' day,  
Horses in de stable go nay, nay, nay,  
Ducks in de yard go quack, quack, quack,  
quack,  
And de goose goes filley-felley!

"Pigs in de pen keep a-squealin fo' sleep,  
Big dogs barkin like dey never will stop,  
Guineas in de tree go pot-rack, pot-rack,  
And de goose goes filley-felley!"

I stopped him because I was out of breath, and he laid back in his chair and laughed till his sides were aching. I pulled out a rabbit's foot and tossed it to him, and the effect was magical. He jumped "three feet on a rise and six feet on the stretch," and gave a whoop which was equal to a Comanche chief's. After his fright was over he told me, whatever I did, not to put any more of these hoodoos on him. I did not intend to frighten him, but wished to see if the superstition he had possessed in his young days had departed from him. I gave him a shining dollar for scaring him so, and he was himself again. We had had a fine time in the few hours I had staid with him, and I asked him to pick up his banjo again and play and sing the tune he used to call "Mr. Kimble." His bonny fingers raked across the strings, again, and he sang the quaint

## BRUTAL OUTRAGE.

Fifteen-Year-Old Girl Assaulted In Adams County.

Decatur, Ind., Nov. 28.—Jasper Pace, who resides north of Preble, this county, has been arrested by Sheriff Erwin for criminal assault. It is learned that Pace enticed a 15-year-old girl into his home and compelled his wife to hold her while he committed the crime. The girl, whose name is withheld, is said to be dying from injuries received. The neighborhood is aroused and trouble is feared. Sheriff Erwin has the jail well guarded, fearing a mob. Pace refuses to say a word to newspaper men.

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## The Battleship Wisconsin.

Will be launched in San Francisco, Saturday, November 26th. The Official Train carrying State Officials and the Christening party will start from Marinette, Milwaukee and Chicago, Saturday, November 19th, going via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y. Stops will be made at St. Paul, Tacoma, Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Denver. Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars, Dining Cars, Observation Cars for the exclusive use of the party for the entire trip, under the direction of Mr. Reau Campbell, General manager of The American Tourist Association. A limited number of tickets at reduced rates covering all expenses will be sold; they include Railway and Sleeping Car fares, meals in Dining Cars, Hotels, Carriages, etc. For details address The American Tourist Association, 1124 Marquette Building, Chicago.

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### WEATHER INDICATIONS

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George Smith was 16 years old Sunday and his mother, Mrs. Carrie Orill, prepared a nice dinner in honor of the event.

DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP PREVENTS consumption. One-fifth of the deaths in cities is from consumption, caused by neglected colds. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup always cures colds.

This forenoon C. H. Husted removed the remains of Jesse Harris, his wife and Jack Hawkins from the city cemetery and placed them in Riverview cemetery.

James D. Golyer went to Westport today to look after his road contracts he has under construction. A part of the work has been completed and is ready to be received.

The stone and tile for the sewer extension west from Pine and Branch street is being received and is being hauled on the ground by a number of teams. The contract for this work was awarded to Ewing Shields who will push the work to completion.

### DIED.

The six years old son of Henry Krete, of near Jaketown, died Saturday night, November 26, 1898.

### Watches.

The largest display ever made in that line in this city, and at prices that will really astonish you. You ought to see them at S. V. Harding's.

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### PERSONAL.

Grandma Vehsage, of Hamilton township, is no better.

N. M. Wilson and Miss Ola Wilson are visiting friends near Greensburg.

Mrs. C. M. Stoddard, of Lauegas, N. M., is the guest of Jennings county relatives.

Mrs. J. H. Robinson and Miss Lottie Wilson, of Grayville came here today to visit relatives.

Edward E. Lewis, of battery A 4th artillery, who came home on account of sickness is not doing well.

Fred Rush, who clerked at the Hotel Jones, and went to Albuquerque, N. M., on account of lung trouble, is improving nicely.

Mrs. Clemmie Smith returned today to Cincinnati from a visit to her son, Ernest, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Holland.

Ben Werning, who has been very sick for some time with dropsy, is growing weaker with deliriousness most of the time.

Charles Gossett, of Redding township, who was recovering from a serious sickness has relapsed, and his condition is serious.

Mrs. W. E. Wimper and Miss Mame Wimper returned Sunday to Shelbyville from a nice visit to Seymour friends and relatives.

Miss Anna Decker and Miss Stella Rainsner, of Cincinnati, were the guests of Fred G. Rainsner, uncle of latter at the home of W. E. Kimmell Sunday.

Charles W. Ford and wife, of St. Louis and Miss Nannie Darland, of Springfield, Ill., came here and went to Brownstown to attend the funeral of Ewing Stillwell. Miss Josie Leininger and her nephew, Walter Voss, went Sunday to Indianapolis to visit her sister, Mrs. Frank Voss, Mrs. Frank Voss, and family.

Mrs. R. W. Medea, of Indianapolis, after a pleasant visit to her nephew, Fireman Ed. McGee, and family at the home of Mrs. Banta, of High street, returned home Saturday night.

Trustee Martin Davis, of Redding township, John Davis and other friends here, were called Sunday to Indianapolis by the dying condition of their mother, who is 80 years old.

Misses Emma, Mary and Lizzie Pardeick, who attended the marriage of their brother, Louis, last night, returned today to their home at Jonesville.

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### CHURCH NOTES.

Attendance at the German M. E. Sunday school was 127; collection \$3.44

Attendance at the Christian Sunday school was 75; collection \$1.19.

Attendance at M. E. Sunday school was 195; collection \$1.86.

Elder W. H. Krutinger who preached at the Ridge church Sunday returned to Elliottsville today.

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### BUSINESS NOTES.

Will Rieck, of St. Louis, is in the city on business.

Elmer Short enlisted in the regular army today.

J. E. Jordan is in the city from Brownstown on business.

Dr. G. W. Rains was called to Jonesville professionally.

J. K. Arnold is in the city from Kokomo on business.

Jay C. Smith went today to Indianapolis on business.

C. S. Mercer went today to Cincinnati on business.

Jack Love made a business trip to North Vernon today.

A. S. Lanning made a business trip today to Cincinnati.

Fred Abel, of the Gold Mine, went to Louisville last night.

Josiah Cobbs, of Crothersville, is in the city on business.

John Q. Foster made a business trip today to Brownstown.

C. M. Townsend of Louisville, came here today on business.

Mrs. Margaret Matt went today to Brownstown on business.

C. K. McClure of St. Louis, is a business visitor in the city today.

Adam Harding, of Indianapolis, came here today on business.

A. D. Eldridge shipped a car of eggs to New York Saturday night.

George H. Gardiner, of Aurora, was in the city today on business.

F. H. Hadley made his first shipment of dry poultry east Saturday night.

The John Ebner Ice Company will begin retailing ice here January 1.

C. W. Odem of Hiawatha, Kansas, came here last evening on business.

W. J. Barrett, of Louisville, C. E. Hall of Boston, are here on business.

A. J. Davenport, of Muscatine, Iowa, came to the city Sunday on business.

James Thomas, D. R. Lott and wife are in the city from Cincinnati on business.

Our contractors are making estimates on several new buildings to be erected soon.

Miss Ella Lenebink, of White Creek, went today to North Vernon on business.

J. D. Poridolph, B. F. Shiner, of Indianapolis came to the city today on business.

H. O. Boothe of Flora, J. H. Sheron of Baltimore, came to the city today on business.

Omer Williams of Windfall, G. W. Spencer, of North Vernon, are in the city on business.

Mrs. L. P. Wilkerson, of Medora came up today to shop for her daughter Mrs. R. B. Weddle.

George Marquett and others, of Jonesville, came down to the city today on business and to shop.

The Sucker Rod Factory is running at full capacity turning out sucker rods sockets and wagon rims.

Lucas & Fleeharty today finished plastering the Travis Carter residence recently damaged by fire.

The Carters have unloaded a car of clear pine lumber from the south and three more car loads coming.

John Hand of the Jonesville Hotel, and wife, who were business visitors in the city have returned home.

Wm. Wood went today to Jennings county to paint the eight room residence, of two stories high for Solomon Miller, just completed.

Dr. Andy Drybrough, of Crothersville, who is in finer physical condition than at any time in a good while, made a business trip today to Indianapolis.

Lynn Faulkner and James Rinchart, of the Hub & Spoke Factory went Saturday to Vallonia to receive a big lot of spokes and timber for their plant.

Sheriff Ed Ebel and W. O. Killey of Versailles, who have been here on business returned home Saturday night.

Twenty-five members of the 159th on being discharged were transferred to the 161st Ind. vol. Saturday and they will go to Savannah, Ga. to join the regiment.

Deputy sheriff W. A. Carter visited all parts of Redding township Saturday citing people to the circuit court. Mr. Carter waits not for rain, snow or cold weather.

Solid silver teaspoons, tablespoons, at J. G. Laupus. tmwf

### THIEVES CAPTURED.

So Says An Enquirer Special From Brownstown.

BROWNSTOWN, IND., November 27—Bloodhounds today assisted in breaking up a gang of thieves that have recently taken up their abode a few miles south of town. Last night they stole some grain and fruit from Joe Pflueger and he at once secured the services of William Shult's bloodhounds, Mark Hanna and Gypsy Queen. The hounds took the trail and followed it to a small hut in the hills, but when the occupants heard they fled in all directions. There were five men and six women in the house at the time. One of the men, giving his name as Lee Reihouse, was captured and the stolen goods were found in the house. Reihouse pleaded guilty and turned state's evidence against several of the others, and officers are now searching the hills for them. The bloodhounds did excellent work.

### Death of Ewing Stillwell.

After a brief illness Ewing Stillwell, of Brownstown, died at his home at 11 o'clock Sunday forenoon, November 27, 1898, with paralysis, with which he was stricken at 25 minutes past 12 o'clock on Monday afternoon last. The entire right side was affected. He never regained consciousness after he was stricken. Ewing Stillwell was one of the best known and most estimable citizens of the county. He was a son of Capt. James B. Stillwell, of Ewing, just west of where he was born in August, 1849. He served four years as sheriff and it is safe to say no one ever served the people more acceptably than he. The people of Seymour and in all parts of the county had words of praise for him. In May, 1897, he and Mrs. Clara Durland were united in marriage at Brownstown. His wife survives him. He was a brother of Mrs. Mel. C. Whitcomb, of Seymour, who with her family and many other relatives and friends went to Brownstown today to attend the funeral which took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the remains being laid to rest in the new cemetery there.

### May Move to Brownstown.

Joe Baird, who at present is being tenderly cared for by Sheriff Josephus Goes, says he is thinking seriously of changing his residence to Brownstown. He seems to think it would be a more quiet and congenial place for him to reside.

### RAILROAD RUMELINGS

C. M. Farmer, of the "Q" route, was here today.

A solid train of 19 cars of fat cattle went east today by way of the B. & O. S. W.

The Southern Indiana bridge spanning Bear Creek near Alert will soon be finished.

Frank Slagle, of the Southern Indiana, was home Sunday from Bedford to visit his family.

Engineer Charles Ewing returned today to Mitchell to take charge of his engine on the Bedford Branch.

H. F. Robinson, George Rau and Joe Riley, of the J. M. & L. bridge force, spent Sunday at their homes here.

Meedy Sulwell and brothers, of railroads west, attended the funeral of their brother, Ewing Sulwell, at Brownstown today.

### Fine Soap Exhibit.

The front window of Peter's drug store is filled with a line of choice toilet soaps variety and price to suit any purchaser.

Money as cheerfully refunded as taken if not as represented.

### Farmers Institute.

The Jackson county farmers institute will be held in Seymour the 16th and 17th of January. The lecturers who will be present are Prof. Bitting, of Purdue, James Riley, of Thornton, and H. L. Nowlin, of Lawrenceburg. Probably a lady will also be secured.

### Seriously Hurt.

Fireman Burns Railing was seriously injured in the knee and leg this morning by stepping into a hole in the railroad yard.

For Rent—Four room cottage. See Dick Shields.

### Central Church of Christ.

The attendance at the Central Church of Christ's Sunday school held in Husted's hall yesterday was 59, collection \$1.38. Immediately after Sunday school Bro. Patterson delivered a very able and entertaining sermon full of good points and convincing arguments. His discourse on Sunday evening was also very masterly and well received and in this connection we wish to say that Elder Patterson will preach for this congregation every Sunday and Sunday evening until the 1st of Jan. and that his name has been added to the building committee which means that he will assist the other members of the committee in pushing the work on until the church edifice known as the Central Church of Christ will be completed. J. H. C.

DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP IS A very efficient remedy. For coughs and colds it has no equal. It is good for adults and children. For croup and whooping cough it is invaluable.

Go to S. V. Harding's get a bottle of fine furniture and piano polish, 25c. Mocking bird given with each bottle.

### Muldoon's Picnic.

Yank Newell's original "Muldoon's Picnic" will be an attractive revival at the Opera House on next Wednesday evening. Con. T. Murphy has been rehearsing the company, and adding to the brightness of the dialogue with some of the choicest bits of his inimitable Irish wit. The people's favorite Irish comedian, Barney Ferguson "My friend from Ireland," has been specially engaged for the company, and will positively appear as "Mulcahy" and introduce all of the funniest and brightest of his great specialties.

Watches that keep good time at reasonable price at Laupus. tmwf

### Christian Church Revival.

The services at the Christian church yesterday including Sunday school social services and communion as also the endeavor services were well attended and duly impressive. The sermon by Elder Burns last night was well received by a large and respectful audience and sweet music was discoursed by the choir under the direction of Prof. Hale. Preaching tonight and tomorrow night. All are cordially invited to hear Elder Burns dispense the gospel.

Those handsome holiday goods—diamonds, watches, up-to-date jewelry—and the remarkably low prices at which they are sold, are attracting the people to Harding's. smwf

### Get Your Drngs

Medicines, cigars, etc., etc., and our magnificent

### Portfolio Offer.

Come while you can get Portfolios as we only have a limited number to give and want to supply you as soon as possible. Prescriptions carefully compounded. Night calls answered.

### Bear's Den Pharmacy

Third and Ewing St., Seymour.

### Your Daily Needs.

May include something in a drug store. A cough syrup, a headache cure, a blood purifier, a liver remedy, a plaster, a box of pills or any one of the other numerous

### Blue Ribbon Remedies

At Cox's Pharmacy. You might, perchance, need some perfume, soaps, and other articles of the toilet, you will find the very best at Cox's Pharmacy. The newest perfumeries are "Cuban Lilies" and "Stolen Secrets."

Cox's Pharmacy is especially equipped for prescription work of every kind. Ring bell at door for night clerk.

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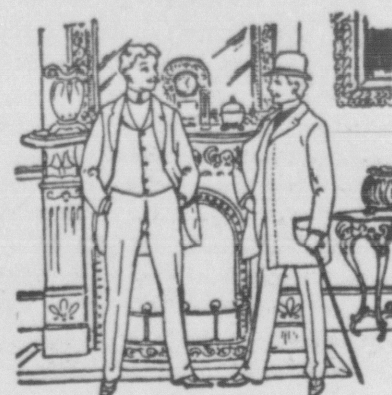
For Rent—Four room cottage. See Dick Shields.

## Look at these Prices:

Misses Wool Hose - 15c a pair  
Misses Fleeced Hose 10c, 15c and 25c a pair  
Infants Wool Hose in Tan, Pink, Blue and black at - 25c a pair  
Misses Union Suits at - 25c

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### Dressing Well



Is a science—it requires lots of study and thought. It requires a little time and trouble—looking about—finding the store which offers the best values. Don't you know some man who always looks particularly well? Why do you suppose it is? It's because he understands the art of dressing—because he appreciates a good tailor, and orders here year after year. We have spent lots of time, money and brains, in making this establishment what it is, but we have never had cause to regret it.

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My Stock for the Fall Season is the most complete and comprises a choice assortment of

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### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that the common council of the city of Seymour, Indiana, will at a regular meeting to be held Dec. 15th, 1898, receive sealed proposals for the paving with concrete composed of gravel, sharp sand and Portland cement, to the width of 30 feet and to a depth of not less than 6 inches. According to plans and specifications now on file in the office of the city civil engineer, the north part of the sidewalk fronting lot 13 in block "W" on south Chestnut street and laying between Brown and Bruce streets. The bids to be submitted by 10 o'clock a. m. of Dec. 15, 1898, at council chamber, the council reserving the right to reject any or all bids. Sufficient bonds must accompany all bids.

Attest, LOUIS E. JENNINGS, City Clerk.

### NOTICE OF STREET ASSESSMENT.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of Dec. 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the office of the city clerk of the city of Seymour, Indiana, before a committee appointed for that purpose, of the common council of said city, a hearing will be had on the final estimate as submitted by the city civil engineer to the common council on Nov. 15th, 1898, as to costs of paving, curbing and sidewalks on the street from the north curb line of Tipton street to the south curb line of Bruce street in said city pursuant to special ordinance No. 50 and at the same time and place said committee will consider said final estimate. All interested persons are hereby notified to be present, and make objections thereto if any they have, by the common council of the city of Seymour, Indiana.

Attest LOUIS E. JENNINGS, City Clerk.

ACTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED EVERYWHERE for "The Story of the Philippines" by Maria Halstead, commissioned by the Government as Official Historian to the War Department. The book was written in army camps at San Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merritt, in the hospitals at Honolulu in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila, in the insurgent camps with Aguinaldo, on the deck of the Olympia with Dewey, and in the row of battle at the fall of Manila. Bonanza for agents. Brimful of original pictures taken by government photographers on the spot. Large book. Low prices. Big profits. Freight paid. Credit given. Drop all trashy unofficial war books. Outfit free. Address, E. T. Barber, Sec'y, 336 Dearborn st., Chicago. oct20 d30t

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That have have heretofore proven the best and also the highest grade of rubber goods at

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The very latest styles in ladies' Mackintoshes and all kinds of house-hold furnishings, carpets, draperies and lace goods, can be had on very easy weekly payments at A. J. Conr'y's, 113 East Second street.

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**Try Allen's Foot-Ease.**  
A powder to be shaken into the shoes. At this season your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easily. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cures swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives rest and comfort. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

**Sure Sign of Croup.**  
Hoarseness in a child that is subject to croup is a sure indication of the approach of the disease. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough has appeared, it will prevent the attack. Many mothers who have croupy children always keep this remedy on hand and find that it saves them much trouble and worry. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

**What do the Children Drink.**  
Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The moraine-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about 1/4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c and 25c.

**The Best Plaster.**  
A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on to the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with a pain in the chest or side, or a lame back, give it a trial. You are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. Pain Balm is also a certain cure for rheumatism. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

**Ladies Can Wear Shoes**  
One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. It makes tight or new shoes feel easy; gives instant relief to corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort ever. It cures swollen feet, blisters, callous and sore spots. Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for sweating, hot, aching, nervous feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Trial package Free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

**Help Trips to the Northwest, West and Southwest.**  
Persons contemplating business or pleasure trips to the Northwest, West or Southwest may arrange for an enjoyable journey at low fare by communicating with W. W. Richardson, district passenger agent of the Pennsylvania Lines, Indianapolis. He represents the short lines to Chicago, St. Louis, Louisville and Cincinnati, the gateways to the Northwest, West and Southwest. Tell Mr. Richardson where you wish to go and he will cheerfully furnish full information about special low rates and quick through time.

**From New Zealand.**  
REERTON, New Zealand, Nov. 23, '96  
I am very pleased to state that since I took the agency of Chamberlain's medicines the sale has been very large, more especially of the Cough Remedy. In two years I have sold more of this particular remedy than all others makes for the previous five years. As to its efficacy, I have been informed by scores of persons of the good results they have received from it, and know its value from the use of it in my own household. It is so pleasant to take that we have to place the bottle beyond the reach of the children.  
E. J. SCANTLEBURY.  
For sale by C. W. Milhous.

**S. I. RY. TIME CARD**  
In Effect October 9, 1898.

**WEST BOUND. (Week days.)**  
No. 1. Mail and Express.....8:25 a. m.  
No. 3. Washington Accom.....5:40 p. m.  
No. 9. Local Freight.....8:30 a. m.  
(Sunday's.)  
No. 5. Indian Springs Special 9:00 a. m.  
No. 7. " " " 3:20 p. m.

**EAST BOUND. (Week days.)**  
No. 2. Mail and Express.....8:17 p. m.  
No. 4. Washington Accom.....9:40 a. m.  
No. 10. Local Freight.....1:45 p. m.  
Lv.....2:40 p. m.  
(Sunday's.)  
No. 6. Indian Springs Special 5:25 p. m.  
No. 8. " " " 10:59 a. m.

No 1 connects at Seymour with P. C. & St. L. north and south. Bedford, Monon north. Elmore, E. & I. north and south.  
No 2 connects E. & I. at Elmore north and south. P. C. & St. L. Seymour north and south. P. C. & St. L. at Elizabethtown for south. C. C. & St. L. at Greensburg north and south.  
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For tickets or further information apply to  
J. M. CLARK, Agent  
H. H. ROSEMAN, G. P. A.,  
Bedford, Ind.

**P. C. & St. L. Schedule of Passenger Trains.**  
Under the schedule taking effect Sunday, Nov. 25, passenger trains will leave this station as follows, viz:  
**NORTH.**  
No. 19—Daily Mail and Express  
Chicago.....9:42 a. m.  
No. 31—Daily except Sunday,  
Indianapolis Acc.....3:35 p. m.  
No. 5—Daily Pgh Flyer.....5:24 p. m.  
No. 3—Daily Mail and Express  
Chicago.....9:52 p. m.  
**SOUTH.**  
No. 10—Daily Louisville Mail and Express.....5:15 a. m.  
No. 2—Daily Louisville Acc.....10:16 a. m.  
No. 18—Daily Louisville Fast Mail.....5:41 p. m.  
—Daily except Sunday, Ac 9:03 p. m.  
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Husband or Lover in the Army or Navy? Mail him today a 25c. package of Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. All who march, walk or stand need it. It cures aching, tired, sore swollen, sweating feet and makes hot, tight or new shoes. Feet can't blister, get sore or callous where Allen's Foot-Ease is used. 10,000 testimonials. All druggist and shoe stores sell. 25c Sample sent Free. Address Allen S. Olmsted Le Roy, N. Y.

**PERSONAL.**  
Fred Leininger is quite sick from cold.  
Alfred Guthrie, of Tunnelton, was a guest here Sunday.  
Irman Brown went Sunday to New Albany to visit friends.  
Lyman E. Howell, of Brownstown, was in the city Sunday.  
C. M. Conley and wife, of Muncie, were guests in the city Sunday.  
Mrs. John Cook, of Sullivan, came here Sunday to visit friends near the city.  
C. M. Wiber and wife, of New Albany, visited Columbus friends Sunday.  
Miss Hallie Gordon is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Hunt, of North Vernon.  
Joseph C. Brown, of the Bieh Mill, and family visited his father of Columbus Sunday.  
Mrs. Lizzie Behrman and Mrs. Ida Leppert and son visited Columbus friends Sunday.  
Mrs. W. C. Rickard and children went Sunday to Edinburg, Ill., to visit her parents.  
Mrs. M. V. White, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wallace Wibley, has returned to Franklin.  
Misses Maud and Daisy Pienning, of Brownstown, attended the Pardeck-Mitschke wedding here last night.

**How This?**  
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transaction and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.  
WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. WALKING, KINAN & MATVIN Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system. Sold by druggists, 75c. Testimonials free.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

**MARRIED.**  
Louis Pardeck and Miss Anna Mitschke, both respected young people of Seymour, were united in marriage at the German Lutheran church, Sunday evening, November 27, 1898, with Rev. Philip Schmidt tying the nuptial knot. May their wedded life be pleasant and prosperous.

**Broken's A Safe**  
The best value in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever sores, Tetters, Chapped hands, Chilblain, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per bottle. For sale by W. F. Porter.

**Advertisements**  
The following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at this place and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:  
**LADIES GENTS**  
Miller Jennie Miss McHopkins Wm.  
Conley J O  
Enos George  
Helms John P  
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**Many People Cannot Drink**  
Coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children Grain-O is the perfect Drink. Made from pure grains Get a package from your grocer today.

**Weak Eyes are Made Strong**  
Dim vision made clear, styes removed and granulated lids, or sore eyes of any kind speedily and effectually cured by the use of Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve. It's put up in tubes, and sold on a guarantee by all good druggists.

**A Money Saver**  
BUYERS OF FIVE-CENT CIGARS  
WILL FIND SATISFACTION IN  
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LONG HAVANA FILLER. SELECT  
SUMATRA WRAPPER. ONLY 5 CTS.  
Ask Your Dealer for Cubanola  
A. KIEFER DRUG CO., Indianapolis, Sole Distributors

**HAVE YOU GOT TROUBLE OF YOUR OWN?**  
If Not, Listen to Others' Troubles—If You Have, See if Your Trouble Is Like Other People's Troubles.  
There are some kinds of trouble that are unavoidable. Then again there is trouble that is easily avoided if you know how to do it. Here is a true statement of Mrs. M. Langston of 2021 Hanna St., Logansport, Ind., telling of her trouble and how she got entirely over it. She says: "I am well aware everyone has trouble without listening to mine, but I hope by telling mine I shall instruct others how to avoid theirs."  
"For ten years at least I have had more trouble with my kidneys, and back than can be expressed on paper. It began with 'Kidney Backache.' I paid little attention to it at first but I see now where I made the mistake. The trouble increased and urinary disturbances followed. The urine was excessive in quantity, highly colored, of a strong odor and contained so much uric acid as to cause a burning sensation. In its passage. Then I had sharp shooting pains and swelling of the limbs which became very painful. For the past five or six years several doctors have treated me for my trouble without arresting the progress of the disease. They knew what the trouble was and pronounced it kidney complaint. The doctor said he could do nothing for me and advised me to make my 'wait.' When I arrived at this stage I became anxious to try any and everything. Some time ago I read about and tried Morrow's Kidney-cure. The recommendations were so high that I procured and used them strictly according to directions. After the first box was used I grew less nervous, and I rested well at night, which is something I had not experienced for months. I am now on the third box, and the help has been so great that I am glad to continue using them, believing that I have found a genuine cure. With all indications I shall soon be well. I desire all who are afflicted to write to me and learn more about the wonderful remedy, Morrow's Kidney-cure."  
This statement is convincing enough for the worst skeptic in Seymour. Write to Mrs. Langston and see for yourself. Kidney-cure is yellow tablets (not pills) and are sold by all first class druggists and at Alpha Cox's Drug Store at 30 cents a box. Accept no remedy "just as good" for there is none. Manufactured by John Morrow & Co., Chemists, Springfield, Ohio.

**December Ladies' Home Journal.**  
The Christmas Ladies' Home Journal surpasses all expectations in the variety of its literary contents, in the excellence of its pictorial features, and the wide range of articles incidental to the holidays. There is a notable contribution on "The First Christmas Present," telling of the gift of the Christ Child, and another recalling "Washington's Christmas at Valley Forge." Edward W. Emerson takes one back to "When Louise Alcott was a Girl." F. Hopkinson Smith's new story, "A Kentucky Cinderella," will afford the Journal's readers great pleasure. It is much in the same vein as "Colonel Carter of Carversville." Other fiction features are "Old Pegs" and the continuation of "The Gulls of Camp Arcady," "The Minister of Carthage" and "The Jamesons in the Country." As usual Edward Bok's editorial page is filled with sensible suggestions, and makes a special plea for the remembrance of those who are alone at Christmas. By The Curtis Publishing Company Philadelphia. One dollar per year; ten cents per copy.

**Good Winter Reading.**  
For farmers in the Eastern States is now being distributed by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y, free of charge to those who will send their address to H. F. Hunter, Immigration Agent for South Dakota, room 575, Old Colony Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

The finely illustrated pamphlet "The Sunshine State," and other publications of interest to all seeking new homes in the most fertile section of the West will serve to entertain and instruct every farmer during the long evenings of the winter months. Remember, there is no charge.

In 1887 Mr. Thomas McIntosh of Allentown, Tenn., had an attack of dysentery which became chronic. "I was treated by the best physicians in East Tennessee without a cure," he says. "Finally tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using about twelve bottles I was cured sound and well." For sale by C. W. Milhous.

**There is a Class of People.**  
Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1/4 as much. Children may drink it without great benefit. 15c and 25c. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

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**ELECTION RETURNS**  
Official Pluralities Received by the Successful Candidates in Last Election.

**VALUES OF REAL ESTATE**

**Auditor of State's Report to the Governor Recommends the Present Tax Levy Be Retained—Old Soldier Convicted of Embezzling Funds at the Marion Soldiers' Home.**  
Indianapolis, Nov. 28.—The secretary of state has completed the official returns from the last state election. The pluralities are as follows: Secretary of state, Hunt, 17,518; auditor of state, Hart, 19,003; treasurer of state, Levy, 17,308; attorney general, Taylor, 19,454; clerk supreme court, Brown, 19,351; chief of bureau of statistics, Connor, 19,617; state geologist, Blatchley, 19,771.

**AUDITOR'S REPORT.**

**Increase in Value of Real Estate and Improvements.**  
Indianapolis, Nov. 28.—State Auditor Daily has filed his annual report with the governor. He says all the state institutions have lived within their incomes except the Jeffersonville Reformatory and the penitentiary at Michigan City, and in his opinion the appropriations for both places are entirely inadequate. The public debt has been reduced \$1,200,000, making a saving of \$38,300 in interest. The auditor recommends that the present tax levy of less than 30 cents on \$100 be retained, and that legislation be enacted giving greater powers to assessors in the discovery of personal property. During 20 years land values have increased \$65,503,740 and improvements have increased in value \$10,026,318. Land values have increased in the aggregate \$57,109,238, while the increase in the value of improvements on them has been \$81,184,175. There was a decrease in personal property values from 1891 to 1897 of \$11,663,421, in 1877 corporate property—such as railroads and telegraph companies—was assessed at \$37,700,460, while in 1897 it was assessed at \$161,238,163, or a percentage of 11.56 on the whole taxable property of the state. The total taxable property last year was \$1,295,965,056, an increase of \$431,043,994 in 20 years.

**OLD SOLDIER**

**Convicted of Embezzlement in the United States Court.**  
Indianapolis, Nov. 28.—William G. Wilson of Marion (Ind.) Soldiers' home, was convicted in the federal court here late Saturday of embezzlement. Wilson was an inmate of the institution, but was after a time given a position in the office and placed in charge of the transportation accounts. So far as is known, he embezzled \$111 before he was arrested. It is thought he will be sent to the Columbus (O.) penitentiary for a year or more.

Frank White of Madison county was given two years in the Columbus penitentiary and fined \$5 for passing counterfeit money. He first entered a plea of guilty, which he afterward changed to not guilty. The evidence, however, was conclusive.

**May Be Unconstitutional.**

Hartford City, Ind., Nov. 28.—Albert Jackson, Mrs. William Mair and Marie Laimaux, against whom the state board of medical registration and examination has furnished evidence on which affidavits were filed against them for practicing medicine without license, are not alarmed. Many attorneys express the opinion that the law requiring a license will not stand. They aver that the same kind of a law has been found unconstitutional in New York state.

**Dropped Dead.**

Muncie, Ind., Nov. 28.—Mrs. Susan Talbot Jack, born in Wayne county, Va., in 1814, dropped dead Saturday from heart disease. She had resided here since 1837, and previous to his death, 40 years ago, her husband was a leading merchant in Muncie. Five daughters, all prominent ladies, survive the mother. They are: Mesdames John M. Kirby, Ned Howe, W. Little, James Rodgers of Detroit and M. H. Valentine of Chicago.

**Fever Patient Found Badly Frozen.**

Newcastle, Ind., Nov. 28.—The neighbors of Thomas Hackett found him wandering aimlessly in the woods Saturday two miles from home. He had lain in the woods all night and was nearly frozen to death, his hands, face and feet being frozen. Hackett arose from a bed of typhoid fever while his attendants were out and made his escape attired in scanty apparel. He will hardly recover.

**Illinois Horsethief Caught.**

Decatur, Ind., Nov. 28.—John Leisure, who has resided here a short time, was arrested Saturday for horsethealing at Coffeen, Ills. The sheriff of Montgomery county, with officers here, made the arrest. After his arrest Leisure made a confession and told where the team could be found and the horses were recovered. He will be taken to Illinois for trial.

**New Glass Company.**

Upland, Ind., Nov. 7.—Upland is to have a new glass company. The articles of incorporation have been filed. The capital stock of the concern, which will be known as the Safe Glass company, will be \$24,000.

**New Daily at Greensburg.**

Greensburg, Ind., Nov. 28.—Tomorrow A. M. Willoughby will begin the publication of The Daily Review.

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From all other Sources 11,469,496.21

Total \$53,505,698.17

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

To Policy-holders for Claims by Death \$13,279,630.61

To Policy-holders for Endowments, Dividends, etc. 12,712,424.76

For all other accounts 10,122,005.57

Total \$36,114,060.94

**ASSETS.**

United States Bonds and other Securities \$132,017,341.43

First Lien Loans on Bond and Mortgage 69,423,937.31

Loans on Stocks and Bonds 12,880,306.70

Real Estate 21,012,454.58

Cash in Banks and Trust Companies 11,705,185.8

Accrued Interest, Not Deferred Premiums, etc. 6,141,200.20

Total \$253,750,437.06

Reserve for Policies and other Liabilities 218,278,243.07

Surplus \$35,505,194.00

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